

## Democratic Radio “Stay Home to Save Lives”

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MADISON — On Thursday, Gov. Tony Evers delivered the Democratic Radio Address on [Executive Order #94](#), advising Wisconsinites to stay home to save lives.

[Audio file of radio address](#) .

*Hello, Wisconsin. Governor Tony Evers here.*



*As you know, earlier this year, we took steps to contain COVID-19 by issuing a safer at home order. Unfortunately, that order was struck down by the Wisconsin Supreme Court—a decision that hamstrung our ability to respond to the virus.*

*Since then, Wisconsin has become a national hotspot.*

*The Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation estimates 5,000 Wisconsinites could be lost to COVID-19 by January 1<sup>st</sup> if no further actions are taken to get this virus under control. That means another 2,500 people who might not be with us on New Year’s Day.*

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*Wisconsin, this is serious. This crisis is urgent.*

*That’s why I signed Executive Order #94 advising Wisconsinites to stay home to save lives.*

*We must get back to the basics of fighting this virus just like we did last spring, and it starts at home.*

*So, please, cancel the happy hours, dinner parties, sleepovers, and playdates at your home. And if a friend or family member invites you over, offer to hang out virtually instead.*

*And if you think you might be exposed to COVID-19, please go get tested. And then make sure you’re quarantining at home while you’re waiting for your results and for 14 days after you’ve been exposed.*

*It’s important to remember that just because you test negative today doesn’t guarantee a negative test tomorrow, so please stay home.*

*Otherwise, if you have to leave your home, limit it to essential needs and errands, and always wear a mask and stay six feet apart.*

*We must offer our neighbors the promise of a better tomorrow—a promise that each of us must play a part in delivering by doing everything we can.*

*Right now, we’ve got plenty to prove and a lot to lose. Let’s get to work, and let’s move forward, together.*

*Thank you, Wisconsin.*